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His heart was the ring-dove's, when warmed by your charms,
But the vulture's, when rushing to battle's alarms.

8.

Thou land of the lovely, the noble, the brave,
Whose soil hail'd his birth, and now gives him a grave,
Lament! for the arm of thy strength is laid low,
Thy spear now is broken, unstrung is thy bow.

9.

Then mourn for Cynddylan, ye Cambrians, mourn,
The halls of his mansion are dark and forlorn;
The death shaft has withered the might of the strong,
The soul of our battles, the theme of our song.

S. R. J.

Monthly Register.

CAMBRIAN SOCIETY IN DYVED.

ON the 10th of last month a Meeting of the Committee of this Society took place at Carmarthen, on which occasion the chair was filled by that patriotic prelate, the Bishop of St. David's. Among the Resolutions, adopted by the Meeting, the following deserve to be here recorded:—

1. That the communication, transmitted by the Secretaries of the Cymmrodorion in Powys, accompanied with the Resolutions of a meeting lately held at Welshpool, be thankfully acknowledged, and that the hearty congratulations of this Society be communicated to the Cymmrodorion in Powys for the zeal manifested by them in the measures adopted for the preservation of ancient British literature*.

2. That the Queries, relative to the remains of ancient British literature, proposed at the Primary Meeting of this Society †, be forthwith issued by the Secretary in a circular ad-

* We are totally ignorant of the nature of the communication thus made by the Cymmrodorion in Powys. or it should have appeared in our pages. We take this opportunity of stating, that we shall always be happy to give insertion to such proceedings of the Societies in Wales, as possess any public interest, and shall even feel obliged to the Secretaries for the communication. Information of this nature, it is scarcely necessary to add, falls peculiarly within the province of the CAMBRO-BRITON.—ED.

† See the first volume of the CAMBRO-BRITON, p. 73.—ED.

dress to the Subscribers and to such other persons as may possess, or have any knowledge of, ancient British MSS.

3. That the Secretary do transmit the thanks of the Committee of this Society to the Committee of the Cambrian Society in Gwent for copies of their Primary Resolutions.

CAMBRIAN SOCIETY IN GWENT.

WE noticed last month the institution of this Society, as well as some of the Resolutions, adopted at the Primary Meeting of the Committee. Want of room, however, prevented us from being as explicit, as we wished, on this latter point: we, therefore, insert here the three leading Resolutions, passed at the adjourned Meeting of the Committee, on the 6th of December, and which, with those already published relative to the Prize Poems and Essays, comprise all the proceedings on that occasion of any general interest. In doing this, we cannot refrain from acknowledging the proud feeling, (and we hope also a pardonable one), which the following notices of our humble labours are so well calculated to inspire.

RESOLVED.—1. That the under-mentioned Gentlemen be elected Honorary Members of this Society, and Members of the Committee:—Sir Edward Pryse Lloyd, Bart.; Charles W. W. Wynn, Esq. Rev. Thomas Beynon, Archdeacon of Cardigan; Rev. Edward Davies; W. Owen Pughe, Esq.; Rev. Walter Davies; Rev. Rowland Williams, Meivod, Montgomeryshire; Rev. John Jenkins, Kerry, Montgomeryshire; Rev. W. J. Rees; John Humfreys Parry, Esq. London; Mr. Edward Jones, Bard to his Majesty; Mr. John Parry, Editor of the “Welsh Melodies”; Mr. John Hughes, Author of “*Horæ Britannicæ*”; Mr. Edward Williams, Bard; Mr. David Thomas, *Darydd Ddu o Eryri*; John Parry Wilkins, Esq. the Treasurer; and Philip Vaughan, Esq. Secretary of this Society, and the Secretaries of the Cambrian Metropolitan Institution, and of the Dyved, Powys, and Gwynedd Societies.

2. That this Meeting recommend to the notice of the Members of this Society the following works, either on the Welsh Language, or on Welsh Literature:—*Horæ Britannicæ*; *Gwaith Prydyddawl Huw Morris*; the “*Welsh Melodies*,” edited both by Mr. Edward Jones, and Mr. John Parry; also *The Life*